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My comment pertains to: General Comment
Comment: Im not sure if its part of your department or not but i was just wondering why you don't care about the children of our great state. Yes it is the teachers who are on strike but for good reason, they have in my opinion the most important job in the nation. Without them we are left in a state of "Idiocracy", a movie based on the fact that our nation as a whole is spiraling towards an uneducated mess. Yes I understand that it can be difficult to figure out funding, but figuring out the funding of our future should be of highest priority. The education system is the largest influencer on future, try and prove me wrong, but do we fund it appropriately? Obviously not because the teachers are on strike. I know a lot of these teachers personally, they helped me get to where i am today, they're amazing individuals who want nothing but the best for everyone. However, most cant even afford to live near where they teach, what has this caused? quality teachers leaving and protesting against the state all because the people in charge don't care enough about quality education, the children, the future, or anything other than themselves it seems. Ive lost hope in the already broken system that is the education system, don't force others to as well.

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